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WEATHER REPORT
Fair tonight and probably Sunday; not much change in temperature; light to moderate northeast winds.
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Sun rises 5:49 Sun sets 5:55.

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GERMANY KEEPS HER SUB PLEDGE

United States Believes Satisfactory Settlement is Near

SHIPS GET WARNING

U-Boat Allows Ample Time for Crew to Leave Vessel, Although It Had Been Running Away.

Washington, Sept. 25—Developments during the present week, especially those of the past 48 hours, are convincing the administration in Washington that there will be a thoroughly satisfactory solution of the controversy between the United States and Germany growing out of the conduct of submarine warfare against merchant vessels. These developments show that the German government has not only been living to the pledge which was given by Count von Bernstorff, the German ambassador, and has been conforming its submarine operations against merchantmen to the requirements of international law insisted upon by the United States government, but that Germany has also shown a very conciliatory attitude toward the United States and has reached the point where it is willing to have German submarine commanders give the benefit of the doubt to merchant ships rather than run the risk of causing the loss of life through mistakes.

Chief among the developments which have greatly pleased officials of the administration are these:

First—The fair and proper attitude of the submarine commander who torpedoed the British horse transport Anglo-Columbia, off the Fastnet, yesterday morning.

Second—The reply of the German government on the Frye case, in which Germany agrees not to sink merchant ships carrying conditional contraband, as was done in the Frye case.

Third—Unofficial information that the Berlin government has issued new instructions to submarine commanders under which they are to take no chance of making a mistake in dealing with merchant ships and which new instructions require them, when in doubt as to whether the merchant ship has aggressive intentions, to permit the merchant ship to proceed and thus have the benefit of the doubt.

The attitude of the German submarine commander who sunk the steamer AngloColumbia is regarded as very significant in Washington The official report to the State Department from Wesley Frost, the American consul at Queenstown, on the circumstances surrounding the destruction of that merchant vessel, was made public by the State Department as follows:

"British horse transport, Anglo-Columbia, from Montreal to England, torpedoed off Fastnet, after a chase of 78 miles, at 9.30 yesterday morning. Fair warning was given in time to take to boats. Six Americans in the crew. No casualties."

The action of the German submarine commander, as thus officially reported to the State Department, shows unmistakably that the commander of the submarine more than lived up to the requirements of international law and fulfilled every condition that has been insisted upon by the United States government in the submarine controversy. The United States government has insisted that merchant ships should not be sunk without warning so that provision might be made for the escape of passengers and crew. The submarine commander gave the Anglo-Columbia fair warning and everybody was saved. The most gratifying feature of the report it its disclosure that no attempt was made to torpedo the Anglo-Columbia while the latter vessel was attempting to escape, Consul Frost states that the Anglo-Columbia was chased 78 miles This means that the Anglo-Coumbia not only tried to evade the submarine but persisted in her efforts to escape for a distance of 78 miles, which probably consumed at east four hours.

During all this time the German commander of the submarine might have fired upon the Anglo-Columbia and if he had sunk the Columbia during the chase his action would have been justified both from the standpoint of international law and from that of the position of the United States as outlined in its notes to Germany in the submarine controversy. In these notes the United States has repeatedly stated that vessels which try to escape or which offer resistance when challenged by a submarine must be regarded as having lost immunity and as being subject to attack.

Thus it would appear that although the German submarine commander had a period of four hours or more while chasing the Anglo-Colmbia during which he would have been justified in torpedoing that vessel, the submarine commander refrained from doing so until after the fleeing liner had been halted so that fair warning might be given and ample time allowed for passengers and crew to be saved. The action of the submarine commander shows that in this insance he went considerably out of his way in order to make sure that no lives would be lost despite the fact that Anglo-Columbia was being used as a mule transport by the British government and had fortified immunity by a continued effort to escape.

HUDDLESTON WINS

Judge Thornton Declares He was Legally Elected Treasurer of Fairfax County

Judge J. B. T. Thornton, of the circuit court of the sixteenth judicial circuit in the contested election case of Claude W. Wiley against F. L. Huddleston, involving the nomination to the county treasurership of Fairfax county decided today that the returns had been properly made, and that Mr. Huddleston won the nomination by a majority of six votes instead of four, as was given by the first count.

COMPANY'S NEW OWNERS

J. P. Morgan or Charles M. Schwab Generally Believed to be Back of Deal

Philadelphia, Sept. 24—The Midvale Steel Company was formally turned over to new owners today. All arrangements for the sale to interests whose identity is kept a secret were made last night. The selling price is reported to amount to approximately $19,000,000.

In financial circles today the sale strengthened the belief a gigantic combine of independent steel companies is about to be formed. Though much secrecy is maintained over the Midvale company's new owners, it is generally believed they are either the J. P. Morgan or Charles M. Schwab interests.

Formation of the new steel com- States Steel Corporation was the chief topic of discussion today among financiers.

The steady sale of large blocks of Cambria Steel during the last week is taken to indicate Cambria is also passing into new hands. It is believed the same interests who purchased Midvale are buying up the Cambria holdings, and will form a new company that would be the neucleus of the new steel combine.

URGE SWEDEN TO STAY OUT

Metalworkers Deplore Talk of Attacking Russia.

Stockholm, Sept. 25—At a meeting here yesterday of the Iron and Metalworkers' Federation a resolution was adopted deprecating the recent activity of a faction which urges that Sweden should seize the present opportunity of striking at Russia. It was determined to institute a counter movement throughout the country to prevent Sweden from becoming embroiled in the war.

The federation also adopted a resolution that the difference between Sweden and Great Britain should not be left to an international commission, but should be referred to the Swedish Parliament.

Crabs in all styles at the Hotel Rammel.

MACKENSEN IS BEATEN BACK

Russian Army Turning Tide On Austro-German Invaders.

MAKES STEADY SWEEP

Ineffectual Attempts of Austrians to Halt Muscovites in Volhynian Fortress Triangle

Petrograd, Sept. 25—Recapture of he city of Pinsk and the fortress of Dubno by the Czar's troops was predicted by war office officials today.

Field Marshal von Mackensen is being hard pressed in the Pinsk region. His left wing has been thrown back five miles by the Slavs, who recaptured Logishin. His right flank is floundering in the marshes south of Pinsk and Russian troops have crossed the Jassi river a few miles east of the city.

The Germans have suffered heavy losses and have abandoned large numbers of guns in their retreat.

The Austrians are counter-attacking determinedly, but have been unable to stem the Russian advance in he Volhynian fortress triangle. Recapture of the fortress of Lutsk and he taking of 4,000 prisoners has been officially confirmed.

The enemy is retiring upon Dubno, whose works are not suitable for defense against an attack from the north and it is believed here that the fortress itself will be reoccupied within a few days.

The battle all around Dvinsk and along the Dwina continues with unabated fury. The official statement from the war office at midnight comments on the "gusts of fire" from he enemy's artillery, and reported that the Germans were making furious attacks. The Russians are mainaining their positions at every sector of the Dvinsk battlefront, despite the enemy's heavy attacks.

ROCKEFELLER AT A DANCE

Takes Nearly Every Woman and Girl In Room As His Partner During Evening's Festivities.

Walsenburg, Col., Sept. 24— John D. Rockefeller, Jr., last night danced in a little schoolhouse at the Cameron mine, 2,000 miles from Broadway.

With Mrs. Charles Kaiser, the pretty wife of the mine superintendent, Mr. Rockefeller glided over the none too smooth floor to the strains of "Tipperary," lustily emitted by an orchestra consisting of a snare drum, a clarinet, a trombone and an accordion.

W. L. Mackenzie King, and other members of the Rockefeller party also participated in the dance, chosing their partners from among the wives and daughters of coal diggers and mine officials.

Rockefeller himself arranged the dance. He attended an entertainment at the schoolhouse, given in his honor by the miners of the camp. Near the end of the entertainment, Mr. Rockefeller made a speech. After referring jocularly to the manner in which he had "packed the house" by bringing his numerous personal entourage, and a still more numerous party of newspaper correspondents, he said:

"I've often danced to that tune the orchestra played a little while ago, I've been wondering if, when this entertainment is over, and the older people have gone home, we couldn't move these chairs out and have a dance. Don't you think we could arrange it?"

In two minutes the chairs had disappeared. The orchestra launched forth, Two or three miners with their sweethearts were on the floor, in a trice. Then W. L. Mackenzie King chose a partner and sallied forth.

Rockefeller hesitated no longer. Bowing to Mrs. Kaiser, who had been his hostess at dinner, he offered his arm, led her to the dancing floor, and glided through the heterogenous throng of coal diggers, mine officials, and miners' wives and daughters. Rockefeller later danced with nearly every woman and girl in the room.

GREECE TO MOBILIZE

Will Have Greater Army Than During Balkan War.

Greece has ordered the mobilization of an army greater than was under arms during the Balkan wars. Three hundred and fifty thousand men have been called to the colors, comprising the entire classes of 1892 to 1911. The navy has been ordered to be prepared for any eventualities.

A news agency dispatch from Athens says that a moratorium will be established immediately. The government has requisitioned all Greek steamers.

The entire Balkan Peninsula is an armed camp. Roumania alone has not ordered a general mobilization, but has been calling out class after class of reserves for months.

Every capital is tensely waiting for Bulgaria to act. No one knows what the next action of Czar Ferdinand will be. A rigid censorship has rung down the curtain on events in the little kingdom on the action of which the history and map of Eastern Europe hangs.

It is known that an allied army of more than 100,000 men is waiting or Lemnos Island to strike Bulgaria if she strikes Serbia in support of the Austro-Germans. It is reported a Russian army is being gathered at Odessa to move on Bulgaria's Black Sea ports if she makes a hostile move.

The only intimation of Bulgaria's probable action was received in a short Sofia message. It indicated that Czar Ferdinand will cast his fate with the Austro-Germans. It said:

"The Varna branch of the Bulgarian National Bank has sent its gold to Sofia, All Bulgarian shipping is taking refuge in the lake near Varna. Varna is being fortified."

Varna is the Black Sea port at which the Russians would strike.

An official statement issued in Athens said Greece had decided to mobilize as "a measure of elementary prudence."

The Roumanian cabinet was called into conference tonight by the King. It is understood the complete mobilization of all of Roumania's force is being discussed. Friends of the quadruple entente were highly satisfied by the action of Greece.

SPAIN'S ATTITUDE

Co-operating With United States In Any Movement for Promotion Peace.

Paris, Sept. 25—Melquides Alvarez, leader of the Reformist party in the Spanish Cortes, who is here as a delegate of the Liberal elements in Spain to assure the French government of their sympathy with the Entente Allies, said to a correspondent recently:

"Spanish sentitiveness resulting from the Spanish-American war has entirely disappeared, and relations with the United States are more cordial than ever before. The business interests of both countries have lately taken up the study of measures for the expansion of their commercial relations.

"The two governments, each of which is chaged with the care of complicated interests of the belligerents of different countries, are working in complete harmony. Early in the war the Spanish government expressed to the United States its willingness, when a proper opportunity arose, to co-operate with the United States, in promoting peace.

"The Spanish government is absolutely and loyally neutral in the war, although you may say all the Liberal elements are favorable to the Allies."

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GREAT BRITAIN EASES EMBARGO

Will Allow Detained Cargoes to Pass to the United States

$167,000,000 WAS TIED UP

Goods of German and Austrian Origin Purchased Before March 1 Will Be Released.

Washington, Sept. 25—The way was cleared yesterday for the release of American-owned goods of German and Austrian origin now held up at neutral ports of Europe by the British order in council.

The British Embassy notified the State Department that it was prepared to receive applications for permits to export such goods in cases where American importers had either paid for them or rendered themselves liable for the purchase price before March 1, 1915. Vigorous informal representations have been made by the State Department in its efforts to secure an agreement for the release of this merchandise, worth $167,000,000.

While the British authorities on June 15 declined to receive unofficial representations by the trades advisers regarding the shipments, information from time to time reached the State Department that private interests in London were securing permits releasing goods from Rotterdam.

Sir Richard Crawford, commercial attache of the British Embassy, today notified Foreign Trade Adviser W. B. Fleming that arrangements for the release of goods through the trade advisers at last had been completed. Outlining the arrangement, the trade adviser's office issued the following statement:

"The foreign trade advisers of the State Department announces that they are prepared to receive for submissions to the British and French authorities applications for permits for the shipment of good of German and Austrian origin from neutral ports in cases where proofs are furnished that such goods were either:

"(1) Ordered and paid for by American importers prior to March 1, 1915, or

(2) Ordered by, or for the account of, American importers prior to March 1, 1915, under contracts by the terms of which the importers are obliged to take delivery of the goods on or before shipment and are bound to pay for them.

"All applications for permits under the foregoing conditions must be addressed to the foreign trade advisers and should be accompanied by the necessary documentary proofs and clear statement of the claim.

"The State Department has been advised by Ambassador Page that the British authorities have announced that hereafter all applications must be submitted through the foreign trade adviser of the Department of State.

$1,000,000 BY FORGERIES

George Adler, Who pleaded Guilty, Gets Five Years.

Waukesha, Wis. Sept. 25— George Adler, alias John W. Barnhart, who pleaded guilty on Monday to a charge of forgery, was sentenced to five years in prison by Judge Mucklestone yesterday. Adler's forgeries in various parts of the country are estimated to have netted him $1,000,000.

He formerly lived in Forest City, Ark., where he was thought to be a successful banker.

WANTS $20,000 DAMAGES

The Colonial Beach Steamboat Company is named defendant in a suit to recover $20,000 damages, filed in the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia by Belle T. Bond. The plaintiff says she was a passenger on the steamboat St. John's, September 5, last, and when attempting to descend a staircase tripped on a broken metal strip and was thrown violently to the foot of the stairway. She sustained serious injury, she alleges.

LOCAL BREVITIES

Frank Riley was given three months for vagrancy in police court this morning by Justice H. B. Caton.

Miss Ellen F. Thompson, of Wellington, Fairfax county, died at 111 4 1-2 street, S. E. Washington, last night. Her body will be brought to this city fo rburial. She is survived by four brothers and two sisters.

A bicycle belonging to John J. Haley was stolen by a negro yesterday. Officer Talbot was soon on the trrail of the thief, and the latter, finding he was being pursued, abandoned the wheel in an alley and made his escape.

SALOONKEEPER KILLED

Victim Apparently Shot as He Was Fleeing From The Man in Bar-Room

Philadelphia, Sept. 25—Shot through the right side of the head by a supposed hold-up man, James P. Campbell, 65 years old, proprietor of a saloon on the solthwest corner of Twenty-second and Market streets, in an entry leading from the bar to a side room, died inthe Medico-Chirurgical Hospital just before midnight. From the position in which the saloonkeeper lay when found the police believe that he was shot as he attempted to escape from the hold up man by a rear door. The bullet struck him from the rear, and, after piercing his brain, fractured his forehead.

CLASS RUSH PROVES FATAL

Brings On Herat Failure in Freshman at Princeton.

Princeton, N. J., Sept. 25 —Heart failure, superinduced by participation in the annual class rush at Princeton University, yesterday caused the death of Stockton Wells, a freshman from Madison, N. J.

Physicians worked for an hour and three-quarters in an effort to restore consciousness before pronouncing him dead.

A slight abrasion over one hip was the only injury discovered on the body after a careful examination.

Representatives of the four classes at the university met tonight and decided unanimously to discontinue all class rushes for the present year.

GIRL IS SHOT DOWN

Miss Catherine Chatfield is Seriously Wounded and Posse Searches for Her Father.

Winsted, Conn. Sept. 24—Although a bullet fired by her father penetrated her body from the back to her breast Miss Catherine Chatfield 22 years old, is expected to recover. After being wounded she probably saved the life of her mother and Stephen Coon, a man employed about the place

Frederick Chatfield, the father, escaped after the fight, and the countryside is being searched for him, although it is believed he has ended his life. He bough a meal in a boarding house at Canaan and remarkked that that would be his last meal.

Chatfield has been drinking excessively and returning to his home with a pistol, he said he would shoot his wife. His daughter wrestled with him and he shot her in the back. The mother then joined in the struggle and the weapon was knocked from his hand.

"Run, mamma," cried the girl, "I am shot, but I'll help you to the end."

The pistol was kicked under a bureau and Mrs. Chatfield locked herself in her bedroom. Chatfield beat his daughter to unconsciousness before escaping. He said he had intended killing his wife and Coon. Mrs. Chatfield, called the neighbors, and the search for her husband soon began.

The $5,000 damage suit of W. H. Jackson against the Virginia Trust Company, receivers of the Richmond and Henrico Railway, is set for trial before Judge Ernest H. Wells, in the Husting Court, Part II., in Richmond. Jackson alleges in his declaration that a conductor on one of the company's cars refused to accept a $5 bill in payment of his fare, and that he was placed under arrest charged with disorderly conduct. When he was arraigned in Police Court, Justice Crutchfield dismissed the charge against him and the civil suit followed, alleging humiliation from the arrest.

MANY TURKISH VESSELS SUNK

Allies Striking at the Turks Base of Supply at Straits

SUBMARINES ACTIVE

Four Turkish Transports Sunk Near Dardanelles—Work of Aviators on Moslem Bases.

Paris, Sept. 25—A review of recent operations in the Dardanelles has been issued by the French war office reading as follows:

"In the Dardanelles the last weeks of August saw little activity. They were marked chiefly by artillery duels and sapping and mining warfare. On August 30 our mountain cannon forced the defenders of a field fortification located in the Valley of Kereves Dere to evacuate the work, and when night came our soldiers finished its destruction. During this time our artillery continued to fire upon the batteries located by our aviators in the stone fortifications of Achi Baba and on the Asiatic Coast. The Turkish artillery is capricious. On certain days it appears to be lacking in ammunition, and its silence, especially, that of the heavy guns, is almost complete. On the other hand, at other times its bombardment of our zone is as abundant as possible. We have suffered only material damage and of small importance.

"The work of our aviators on the Bay of Akbachi Sliman, the principal point of debarkation for Turkish supplies and reinforcements for the southern zone, has been happily completed by the fire of the fleet. Many vessels have been thus sunk by our allies, and the Turks have been forced to abandon the work of debarkation during the daytime.

"The British submarines, whose activity in the Sea of Marmora is marvelous, have accomplished even in the Strait some particularly difficult operations. On the 29th of August they sank, two Turkish transports in the Bay of Akbachi Sliman and tow others between Nagara and Gallipoli.

"In the northern zone our valiant allies obtained on August 21 a particularly advantageous result in effecting the junction of the troops debarked at the Bay of Suvla with those occupying the heights dominating Gaba Tepe."

RUSSIA TO REORGANIZE ARMY

Radical Changes In Highest Officials Reported From Stockholm.

Berlin, Sept. 24 — Reports reached Berlin, yesterday from Petrograd, by way of Stockholm, that radical changes in the leadership of the Russian Army, affecting the highest military officials, were soon to be made.

This report was contained in a dispatch from the Stockholm correspondent of the Lokal Anzeiger, as given out here by the Overseas News Agency, Quoting from this dispatch the news agency says:

"The well-informed Russian press reports that Emperor Nicholas is commander-in-chief of the Russian forces in name only. The actual power is in the hands of the experienced leaders, General Polivanoff, Minister of War, and General Kuropatkin. Plans will soon be consummated for radical reforms, including reorganization of the highest military offices.

"The disorders which followed the prorogation of the Duma were violent. Work was stopped in a third of the factories at the capital, and there were demonstrations by crowds in the streets. General Froloff, commander of the military district of the capital, issued a proclamation to the workingmen saying that suspension of work would be regarded by Gen. Ruzsky, as high treason, and that although the nation felt heavily the events occuring in the war, popular outbreaks were unjustifiable.

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COMMITTEES AT WORK

Alexandria Sunday School Association Arranges Program for its Parade and Rally.

That the second annual rally and demonstration of the Alexandria Sunday School Association on October 17 will equal the success reached by the one last year is expected from the way in which the different committees organized since the first meeting of the association are working. As stated before, all the Protestant Sunday schools of the city will be represented on the occasion and it is planned to make the affair a splendid demonstration of the work being done by the schools. From rough estimates at least three thousand members of the various schools will take part in the affair.

The parade route this year embraces practically the same order of marching and includes the same streets as last year, most of the marching to be done on Cameron and north Washington streets. The line will be formed on south Fairfax street between King and Prince and end at the intersection of Cameron and Washington, where a reviewing stand will be erected for the speakers of the day.

Invitations have been extended to noted men throughout the state to speak on the occasion, and the exercises will be most interesting.

After the parade three conventions will be held, one for the adult department of the association, to take place in the First Baptist Church, and the other two for the boys intermediate and girls' intermediate departments, which will be held in the Trinity and Southern Methodist Churches respectively.

The next meeting of the executive committee and its branches will be held next Tuesday night in the Second Baptist Church.

CLUB BEGINS WORKS

Athletic Order in St. Mary's Academy to Begin Fall and Winter Activities Next Week.

The Swastika Club, an athletic organization of St. Mary's Academny will resume its activities for the 1915-16 session on next Monday. Credits will be given in the various departments of the club's work, which include basketball, dodge ball, volley ball, long and push ball, tennis, archery, fencing, folk dancing, drills, and expression classes.

Misses Virginia Downey, Julia Duncan, and Mary Quinn received the 6th degree, majenta ribbon, in the September test for private pupils in expression.

On September 28 and 29, junior and minim classes in expression and physical education will be organized.

Following is a list of the young ladies forming the different teams of the Swastika Club:—

Gold:—Misses M. Smith, G. Adams, I. Mulhern, H. Roland, M. Quinn, V. Downey, E. Hayden, I. Duncan, E. Devers, V. Webster, E. Hart.

Red:—Misses M. Brock, R. Fannon, E. Hubbard, G. Davis, M. Canavan, P. Harrington, V. Fannon, C. Howard, M. Dickert, M. Burns, H. Cook.

Violet: —Misses. G. Lash, A. Cook, E. Nugent, J. Duncan, H. Bell, E. Howard, C. Hoy, A. King, E. Collum, A. Harlow, D. Kennon.

White:—Misses M. Kelly, M. Hayes, M. Kaus, F. Evans, A. Donaldson, H. Bayne, M. Nalls, E. Caffey, R. Yates, G. Martin, M. Whitestone.

Black:—Misses K. Crilly, R. Gorman, E. Puckett, T. Grisby, E. McGahey, A. Franey, E. Teague, M. Wibart, K. Quinn, A. Downey, C. Neuland, L. Robinson.

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ELKS' NATIONAL HOME

Delegation of Alexandria Lodge Left Last Night For Cornerstone Laying

A delegation of members of Alexandria Lodge of Elks left here last night for Bedford City, Va. toattend exercises in connection with the laying of the corner stone of the new National home of the Elks now under consteuction in the Virginia city. Representatives of all parts of the country will be present at today's celebration. The arrangements are in the hands of the Virginia State Association of Elks' of which James W. Bales of this city is the vice-president, and the Rev. Edgar Carpenter, of this city, is the state chaplain.

The new home is to cost $400,000 and is to consist of a group of buildings arranged on the cottage plan surrounding a central administration building. It will accomodate about 300 guests.

TO CLASH IN NO. 2

Baseball Season to End With Finish of Series, Second of Which is Played Tomorrow

A hard- fought and interesting game may be expected tomorrow when the teams representing the Cardinal Athletic Club and the loyal order of Eagles clash in the second game of the series for the baseball supremacy of the city. The first game of the series played last Sunday on the Cardinal diamond in upper King street was copped by that team after a close and snappy contest, and the Eagles are firm in their determination to even the score and bring the second game tomorrow around their way. The contest will be staged in the afternoon at the Eagles grounds on North Alfred street, and promises to be an interesting affair. A large number of rooters will doubtless be out to do their share toward making their favorite club come out victor.

This series will mark the close of the local baseball season, as already football weather has set in, and the season is about under way. The Alexandria High School eleven has already started practice and had a game scheduled for yesterday with a team which, however, failed to show up. Instead a contest was played between the first team and the scrub eleven. Members of the Virginia Athletic Club have met and will probably get their football team out for practice within a few days. This club is composed of some of the best football players in the city and were victorious in all of their contests last year.

EXPECT ORDER

Local Company Trying for Big Shrapnel Contract.

Within a few days it is expected that an announcement will be made by the Emerson Pump and Valve Co., whose plant is located at the head of King street, near the Union Station, that they have contracted for a large supply of shrapnel for the Allies. Announcement was made today that a contract is now pending and that the order will in all probability amount to $1,000,000. Special machinery will be installed if the contract is made. The principal owner of the company is Col. O. G. Staples, of Washington.

NOW OFFER SIXTEEN CENTS

German Firms Who Would Take Million Bales of Cotton.

Washington, Sept. 25—The group of German firms which recently offered to buy a million bales of American cotton at 15 cents a pound, if delivered in Bremen, yesterday cabled Senator Hoke Smith they are now willing to pay 16 cents.

The firms have deposited securities with the American consulate in Berlin to cover the purchase price and guarantee that the cotton will not be put to military or naval uses.

Delivery at Bremen will be impossible, however, unless some modification of the British order-in-council and contraband orders can be secured.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Interesting News Notes About People of Alexaxandria—Happenings In Society.

Mr. William A. Smoot, has returned from his farm and is now at his home, Colross, on Oronoco street.

A number of Alexandrians attended the dance given by Mrs. George French at her home in Arcturus, on the Washington and Virginia Railway line, last night.

Mrs. Mary Wade announces that she has opened a ladies' tailoring and dressmaking establishment at her residence, 424 north Payne street.

Miss Sylvia deBeck and Mr. Thomas deBeck, of Rosemont, have been spending a few days in New York City.

Miss Fanny Dixon will spend the winter with Miss Mary Johnston in Prince street.

Lieut. Charles D. Barrett, U. S. M. C., is on a ten day's leave of absence in this city.

Mrs W. B. Daingerfield will spend the winter in Alexandria at the home of Mrs. John Tackett.

Capt. and Mrs. James M. Love, and daughters, Misses Harriet Love and Elizabeth Love, formerly of this city, will leave shortly for New Mexico where they will make their home for some time.

Mr. William Hunter Leefe, who has been spending a few days with his grandmother in Wolfe Street has returned to his home in Danville.

WILL ATTEND DEDICATION

Virginia Lodge of Moose Will Visit Philadelphia, October 23.

Arrangements were perfected by Virginia Lodge, No. 1076, Loyal Order of Moose, at a meeting last night for attending the dedication of the new Moose home at Philadelphia on October 23. A large number of Moose from all over the state will witness the ceremonies on that occasion. Fifty members of the local lodge will go to the Quaker City on that date, accompanied by a large delegation from Richmond which will join the Alexandria band.

Dictator W. E. Dentinger, of Washington lodge, visited the local order at the session last night and made a short address, in which he congratulated the Alexandria lodge on its progress.

KILLED IN STOLEN AUTO

Dover Youth, On Joy Ride in Baltimorean's Car, Plunges From Bridge

Dover, Sept. 25—As a result of a joy ride in an automobile owned by the Morgan Millwork Company, Baltimore, Outten Laws, of Dover, was killed yesterday morning, when the car plunged over a 20-foot bridge over St. Jones' river, near this city. The fell on Laws, crushing his head.

The car, which was driven to Dover by Carl M. Walker, a representative of the company, was taken from a garage here by Laws and three or four other unknown persons. Walker placed the car in the garage Thursday night, expecting to take it out yesterday morning. He knew nothing of the taking of the car until awakened at his hotel and told of the accident.

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WAR'S MORTGAGE ON THE WORLD.

In 1866, after the cose of the Civil War, the interest-bearing debt of the United States reached high-water mark. The amount was $2,332,000,000. That included all the money that was borrowed for the conduct of the war for four years. Much of it was contracted in dollars worth less than fifty cents. In one year of war England has borrowed, or provided for borrowing, $6,310,000,00. As the war progresses and prices advance, the daily cost of the war to England and to the other belligerents will increase. England is one of nearly a dozen belligerent countries, and each has its daily bill to pay. The cost to England, as given by Mr. Asquith in the House of Commons, is $17,500,000 a day. According to this, war is not only serious to those whose lives and property are destroyed; it is also serious to the taxpayers. If the present conflict should last a year or two longer—of which there is every prospect— the gross sum of the various war debts will be staggering to the imagination as well as to the taxpayers. Where is all the money to come from to meet this debt, or even to pay annual interest? Much of the debt will be due to people of countries other than the debter nations, and that will be continuing national drain.

The public debts of the belligerent countries have increased by $18,000,000,000. The debt of Great Britain so far incurred for waging the war, apart from the loan just authorized by Parliament, is$5,714,000,000; that of France is $3,040,000,000; that of Russia, $2,620,000,000; that of Italy, $400,000,000; of the smaller belligerents, $125,000,000; of Germany, $3,390,000,000; of Austria, $1,706,000,000, and of Turkey, $250,000. They all are borrowing more money as fast as they can get it.

The debt owed by England when the present war began is the remnant of that contracted in the Napoleonic wars more than a century ago. It will be many a year before the debts of this war can be paid. The war, in fact, is being waged principally at the financial cost of posterity. Its burden will fall upon the shoulders of those whose fathers are yet unborn.

PERSECUTION OF JEWS AND CHRISTIANS

It is alleged that there are no less than 6,000,000 Jews suffering from the effects of the war in ways even more severe than the afflictions that came upon the unhappy Belgians. The facts, as they come to light, show these people to be the butt of brutality as gross as that which has been inflicted upon the Armenians. The Turk knows no creed but his own. The Jew and the Gentile alike are being hunted and cut down like wild animals

Dr. M. Simbad Gabriel, president of the Armenian General Progressive Association in the United States has received from Nubar Pasha, diplomatic representative in Paris of the Katholiks, or head of the Armenian church, advices in regard to the massacres of Armenians in Turkey, in which it is stated that "Christian martrydom has at no time assumed such colossal proportions."

Dr. Gabriel in making public the letter said that from information contained in them and from other reports he had receved directly, he estimated that 450,000 Armenians had been put to death and 600,000 rendered homeless or exiled, out of a population of 1,500,000.

The neutral world is sick of the stench of murder and outrage as well as of the horrors of the present war. It is nauseated by the stories of crimes against multitudes of noncombatants. There is one great principle to be wrought out from this war as the only palliative to its horrors. This is the principle of the absolute protection of a man in his race and in his religion. The one sure method of securing this fortunate outcome is for the United States to take a high stand in the matter and call upon the warring nations to put a stop to outrage on principle. Yet vast horrors have already been perpetrated. Therefore, asids from the attitude suggested for the government, the charities of the country should be appealed to without regard to race or religion, to provide the aid that will keep together the souls and bodies of thousands of fugitive victims of cruetly stripped of their all and left to starve.

ANOTHER BALKAN WAR

The action of Bulgaria in mobilizing is about to start a prairie fire in the Balkan States. Bulgaria has been sore for some time, having been disappointed in her failure to absorb Macedonia, and should an attempt be made to carry out her design, Greece is sure to draw the sword. The diplomacy of the Triple Alliance as well as the Quadruple Entente has, it seems failed to preserve Balkan neutrality during the present conflict.

GERMAN SINCERITY

The fact that a German submarine gave the passengers and crew of the steamer Anglo-Columbia ample time leave the vessel before it was destroyed is the best indication that the Teutons intend to act with good faith toward the United States. The Anglo-Columbia had been endeavoring to escape from the submarine, the latter having chased the liner seventy-two hours.

RUSSIAN BEAR AGAIN TURNS.

Dispatches today show that the Austro-Germans have struck a snag in their invasion of Russia. Since last May the Muscovites have been falling back before their enemies, but it is now confidently believed that Pinsk and Dubo will be recaptured.

NEWS OF THE DAY

The liner Lapland, which sailed from New York on September 15, arrived safely at Liverpool yesterday.

Premier Dato of Spain stated that all the conscripts in excess of the 1911 class will be called to the colors on October 1 for instruction.

It is reported that the city of Belgrade, Serbia, has been newly fortified and equipped with heavy British guns, manned by British artillerymen.

"Japan's intervention in the war in Europe is expected shortly," says the Paris Petit Parisien's correspondent at Turin in a dispatch received yesterday. He gives as his authority reliable Russian advices.

Gen. Horacio Ducharme, chief of the field forces of the Venezuelan revolutionists, was captured at Maturin, near the eastern coast of Venezuela, on August 23, and publicly put to death, in compliance with the orders of President Jose Vincinte Gomez.

A report from Field Marshal Sir John French, commander-in-chief of the British army in the field, last night indicates a renewal of fighting all along the British front, in which aeros have been particularly active. One aero bombarded and wrecked a German troop train. Another blew up a bridge.

Russell Kistler, left fielder of the team there died at the Harrisburg, Pa., Hospital Thursday from the effects of being hit on the head by a pitched ball in a Dauphin-Ferry League game between Marysville and Dauphin. In the seventh inning Kistler thought a fast ball was a curve and would break away from him, but it hit him on the head.

Mexican bandits yesterday attecked the village of Progreso, Tex., killed one American soldier, wounded Capt A. V. Anderson, and escaped into Mexico under cover of the fire of several hundred men intrenched on the Mexican side of the Rio Grande. Four of the Mexicans are known to have been killed, and several others are reported to have been struck by bullets fired by the United States troops.

Three persons were killed and a score or more injured, some dangerously, when Missouri Pacific passenger train. No. 704 bound for Kansas City, collided head on with a freight train near Plattsmouth, Nebr., yesterday. Both engineers and the brakeman of the freight train were killed. A number of passengers, two baggagemen, a brakeman and a porter on the passenger train were injured, some of them seriously.

The Washington Building Trades Council has indorsed the Central Labor Union's boycott of the G. A. R. reviewing stands in Pennsylvania avenue, it was learned last night. The indorsement was given by adopting a resolution offered by H. D. Digney, business agent of the painter's union, at a meeting of the council at Building Trades Hall, 480 Ninth street northwest, Tuesday night. The labor men say the stands were constructed by nonunion workers.

Joe Persons, a colored boy 14 years of age, was hanged in the jail yard at Jackson, Ga., yesterday for assaulting an 8- year-old white girl last June. To the half hundred persons around the scaffold the boy admitted he committed the crime and stoicaily announced he was ready to die. Although he weighed only 75 pounds, his neck was broken by the fall. Officers did not attach weights to Persons, as had been suggested to them as possibly necessary to successfully execute him.

Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, yesterday proposed a new plan of national defense. He would open the Annapolis and West Point Naval and Military Academies to all who would go there for training as officers. He also suggested that opportunity be provided for the masses of the people to get military training. Mr. Gompers would have the military heads of the army and the navy elected by the people instead of being appointed by the President.

Two German submarines have recently been captured in Firth of the Forth, between Edinbur h ngadalGsg Forth, between Edinburgh and Glasgow of the U-boats. The wire was so charged with electricity that it gave the required signal to the troops, and a chain was lowered which imprisoned the craft. The other submarine became entangled in chains, and her commanding officer, hoping to escape, took his vessel to the bottom, remaining for five days. The moment the submarine came to the surface showing her periscope she was captured.

A report of procedure by a German submarine received at the State Department yesterday was regarded by officials as tending to confirm reports from Berlin that the German government has effected considerable modifications in its orders to commanders of undersea boats. Consul Frost, at Queenstown, reported that in the case of the British horse transport Ango-Columbia a submarine gave ample warning and plenty of time for the crew to get into boats before torpjedoing the vessel, after having chased the merchantman for seventy-eight miles.

Two men arrested and locked up last night in Washington on the charge of being intoxicated attempted to commit suicide, the police say. About 6:30 o'clock, John McCormick, 22 years old, of Washington, was found by Sergeant McDermott in a cell with his coat tied around his neck and fastened to the top of the cell. He was removed, unconscious, to Washington Asylum Hospital. About half past eleven, William McCormick, 52 years old, of Alexandria County, was discovered in a cell hanging by his necktie from the cell door. He was cut down and removed to Washington Asylum Hospital.

The German headquarters staff admit the loss of 38 Zeppelins and 9 Parseval airships since the war began up to August 1, 1915. Since this date, a further report states, two Zeppelins and one Parseval are missing. The majority of the airships were brought down by the allies' air guns and the remainder had accidents while landing. The average cost of these airships is over $500,000, while the newest models cost nearly double this sum. Therefore Germany has lost over $25,000,000 in a year in her airships, bombs from which have killed and wounded 500 persons.

Two thousand persons gathered about the gates of the Corbin Screw Corporation at New Britian, Conn., where 500 employes are on strike, yesterday afternoon and started a riot when policemen guarding the factory entrance ordered some of them to move on. When the police tried to make an arrest of some of the disturbers, the crowd severely beat two of them. Another officer fired several shots into the air. This greatly angered the mob and they made another rush for the police. The factory fire department halted the rioters by mounting the factory roof and directing streams of water on the crowd.

VIRGINIA NEWS

N. Cohen, a merchant, whose place of business is at the intersection of the Oberndorfer Road and the Norfolk Southern Railroad, was shot in the abdomen by a negro boy Thursday night, and he is now in a serious condition at St. Vincent's Hospital. The police have arrested Percy Ellis, 18 years old, on suspicion of committing the crime.

Lieut George Carr Round, of Manassas, president of the United States Signal Corps Asscciation, has received today from Thomas J. Stewart, Adjutant-General of Pennsylvania, what is known as the Kenesaw flag, a relic belonging to the Signal Corps. This flag was used in sending a message from Sherman to one of his division commanders from Kenesaw Mountain to Allatoona Pass, 18 miles away, on October 5, 1864, over the head of Hood's army. The message was: "Hold the fort. I am coming." Lieutenant Round will use this flag in sending messages from the dome of national Capitol during the encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic in Washington.

Martin Williams, member of the Virginia House of delegates addressed the State convention of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union in Lynchburg, last night, on "Putting the Prohibition Wheels Into Motion." Mr. Williams was introducted by Congressman Carter Glass and was heard by a large audience. Tazewell was selected for the next annual convention and Chester was awarded the midyear executive meeting. Prizes for scientific temperance instruction were won by the Eastern Shore and Danville City Unions. Memorials for workers who died during the year were held at the morning session.

W. J. Kimbrough, president of a Richmond publishing company and member of the City School Board, died suddenly last night. He attended a meeting of the board, and, feeling ill, went to a nearby drug store for medicine. Friends there proffered the use of an automobile, and while they were taking him home Mr. Kimbrough expired.

The first death in Page county from night mare, superinducing a violent attack of heart disease, is reported from Springfield district, four miles north of Luray. The case is that of a child of B. B. Sedwick, a farmer. The child was found dead in bed Wednesday morning and physicians report its death due to fright caused by the nightmare.

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Rev. William J. Morton, rector of Christ Church, will resume his services tomorrow, preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. During Dr. Morton's absence services have been conducted at Christ Church in the morning by the Rev. S. A. Wallis, of the Seminary.

At the First Baptist Church tomorrow, the Rev. W. F. Watson, D. D., pastor, will take for his morning subject "The Security of the Believer." In the evening at 8 p. m. his theme will be "How the Christians Grow."

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Rev. William J. Morton, rector. Sunday School 9:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

St. Paul's Church.

Rev. P. P. Phillips, rector. Sunday School 9:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. f. and 7:30 p. m.

Grace Church.

Rev. Edgar Carpenter, rector. Holy Communion 7:30 a. m. Sunday School, 9:30. Morning prayer and sermon 11:00. Evening prayer and sermon, 7:30 p. m.

Second Presbyterian Church.

Rev. J. L. Allison, D. D., pastor. Services, at 11:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m.

First Baptist Church.

Rev. W. F. Watson, pastor. Sunday School at 9:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 8:00 p. m.

Second Baptist Church.

Rev. O. W. Triplett, pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. Sunday School 9:30 a. m. Prayer services Wednesday evenings at 7:45 o'clock.

Methodist Episcopal Church South.

Rev. J. W. Duffey, pastor. Sunday School 9:30 a. m. Epworth League services at 7:15 p. m. Services and sermon 11 a. m. and 8:00 p. m.

Methodist Protestant Church.

Rev. Edward Kirkley, pastor. Services at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday School and Hustler's Bible Class 9:30 a. m. Christian Endeavor 7:00 p. m.

Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church.

Rev. L. M. Ferguson, pastor. Sabbath School 9:30 a. m. Services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.

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8:47 A. M.—DailyLocal for Harrisonburg and way stations. Buffet parlor car.

9:17 A. M. Daily—Mail train, coaches for Manassas, Warrenton, Lynchburg, Greensboro and Charlotte.

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3:25 P. M. Daily—Local for Charlottesville connecting at Calverton for Warrenton.

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10:02 P. M.—Daily Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg) First class coaches and sleeping cars to Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga, Sleeper to New Orleans, Washington to Roanoke, Dining car service

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The undersigned, as Attorneys for the owners, will offer for sale at public auction, in front of the Royal Street entrance to the market building, on Saturday, October 2nd, 1915, at twelve (12) o'clock noon, a certain lot of ground improved by a brick dwelling house, known as Number 1107 Prince Street, and described as follows: BEGINNING on the north side of Prince Street, sixty one feet, five inches west of Henry street, and running thence west on Prince Street, twenty feet; thence north parallel to Henry Street, one hundred feet to a ten foot alley; thence east on said alley and parallel to Prince Street, twenty feet; and thence south parallel to Henry Street, in a straight line, one hundred feet to the beginning, together with the use of said alley, and all rights and appurtenances to the said lot of ground belonging.

Terms of Sale:—One third (1-3) cash, and the balance in two equal installments payable in six and twelve months, secured by deed of trust on the property, and a deposit of fifty ($50.00) dollars will be required when the property is knocked down to the purchaser. Ten (10) days will be allowed for examination of title ;conveyancing at cost of purchaser.

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Attorneys for owners.

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Pursuant to the terms of a deed of trust dated September 14, 1911, and recorded among the land records of the City of Alexandria, Virginia in Deed Book No. 61, page 373, given by Robert L. Myers and Bettie Myers, his wife, and J. Frank Myers and Betty Myers, his wife, to the undersigned Trustee to secure the payment of seven joint and several promissory notes as therein set forth, default having been made in the payment of the principal note and at the request and by the direction of the holder thereof the undersigned Trustee will offer for sale at public auction in front of the Royal Street entrance to the Market Building in this City, at 12 o'clock M. on Saturday, October 2nd. 1915, all that parcel of ground with the improvements thereon located on the east side of Pitt Street between Cameron and King Streets, in the City of Alexandria, Virginia, and more particularly bounded and described as follows, to wit-; Beginning at a point on the east side of Pitt Street 110 feet north of King Street and at the north line of an alley ten feet wide, and running thence north on Pitt Street 20 feet, 7 inches, thence east parallel with King Street 73 feet 6 inches; thence south parallel with Pitt Street 20 feet 7 inches to said alley; and thence west along said ten foot alley 73 feet 6 inches to the beginning with the right of way over said alley in common with others entitled thereto.

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By order of the President.
E. A. HARRIS, Secretary.

EXECUTRIX NOTICE

Having qualified as executrix of the estate of the late T. A. Groves all persons having bills against the estate of the deceased are requested to present same, duly certified, for payment and all persons owing said estate are requested to settle their indebtness promptly.
LILLIAN E. GROVES,
Executrix, 22 Eight St. N. W. Washington, D. C.

Administrators Notice

Having qualified as administrators of the estate of the late Rev. H. J. Cutler all persons having bills against said estate are requested to present same, properly certified to the undersigned for payment and all persons who are indebted to the estate are requested to make prompt settlement of the same.
E. A. GORMAN
L. F. KELLY,
20-10t Administrators.

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COMMONWEALTH OF VIRGINIA
OFFICE OF
CLERK OF THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES

Proposed amendments to the Constitution of Virginia, agreed to at session of General Assembly 1914, and published in pursuance of section 196 of the Constitution and act approved February 8, 1908.

JOINT RESOLUTION proposing an amendment to section 46, Article IV, of the Constitution.

Resolved by the House of Delegates, the Senate concurring (a majority of the members elected to each house agreeing thereto), That the following amendment to the Constitution of Virginia, be and the same is hereby, proposed and referred to the General Assembly to be chosen at the next general election of members of the House of Delegates for its concurrence, in conformity with the provisions of section one hundred and ninety-six of article fifteen of said Constitution, namely:

Strike out from the Constitution of Virginia, section forty-six of article four, which is in the following words:

Sec. 46. The General Assembly shall meet once in two years, on the second Wednesday in January, next succeeding the election of the members of the House of Delegates and not oftener, unless convened in the manner prescribed by this Constitution. No session of the General Assembly, after the first under this Constitution, shall continue longer than sixty days; but with the concurrence of three-fifths of the members elected to each house, the session may be extended for a period not exceeding thirty days. Except for the first session held under this Constitution, members shall be allowed a salary for not exceeding sixty days at any regular session, and for not exceeding thirty days at any extra session. Neither house shall, without the consent of the other, adjourn to another place nor for more than three days. A majority of the members elected to each house shall constitute a quorum to do business, but a smaller number may adjourn from day to day, and shall have power to compel the attendance of members in such manner and under such penalty as each house may prescribe.

And insert in lieu thereof the following:

Sec. 46. The General Assembly shall meet once in two years, on the second Wednesday in January, next succeeding the election of the members of the House of Delegates, and not oftener, unless convened in the manner prescribed by this Constitution. No session of the General Assembly shall continue longer than ninety days, except that with the concurrence of three-fifths of the members elected to each house, the session may be extended for a period not exceeding thirty days. Neither house shall, without the consent of the other, adjourn to another place, not for more than three days. A majority of the members elected to each house shall constitute a quorum to do business, but a smaller number may adjourn from day to day, and shall have power to compel the attendance of members in such manner and under such penalty as each house may prescribe.

JOINT RESOLUTION proposing amendment to section 50 of Article IV of the Constitution of Virginia, and providing for publishing said amendment, and certifying the same to the next General Assembly.

1. Resolved by the House of Delegates, the Senate concurring (a majority of the members elected to each house agreeing thereto), That the following amendment to the Constitution of Virginia, be and the same is hereby, proposed and referred to the General Assembly to be chosen at the next general election of members of the House of Delegates for its concurrence, in conformity with the provisions of section fifty of article four of said Constitution, namely:

Strike out from the Constitution of Virginia, section fifty, article four, which is in the following words:

Sec. 50. No law shall be enacted except by bill. A bill may originate in either house, to be approved or rejected by the other, or may be amended by either, with the concurrence of the other.

No bill shall become a law unless prior to its passage it has been—

(a) Referred to a committee of each house, considered by such committee in session, and reported;

(b) Printed by the house in which it originated, prior to its passage therein;

(c) Read at length on three different calendar days in each house; and unless,

(d) A yea and nay vote has been taken in each house upon its final passage, the names of the members voting for and against entered on the journal, and a majority of those voting, which shall include at least two-fifths of the members elected to each house, recorded in the affirmative.

And only in the manner required in sub-division (d) of this section shall an amendment to a bill by one house be concurred in by the other, or a conference report be adopted by either house, or either house discharge a committee from the consideration of a bill and consider the same as if reported; provided, that the printing and reading, or either, required in sub-division (b and c) of this section, may be dispensed with in a bill to codify the laws of the State, and in any case of emergency by a vote of four-fifths of the members voting in each house taken by the yeas and nays, the names of the members voting for and against, entered on the journal; provided further, that no bill which creates or established a new office, or which creates, continues or revives a debt or charge, or makes, continues or revives any appropriation of public or trust money or property, or releases, or discharges, or commutes any claim or demand of the State, or which imposes, continues or revives a tax, shall be passed except by the affirmative vote of the majority of all the members elected to each house, the vote to be by the yeas and nays, and the names of the members voting for and against, entered on the journal. Every law imposing, continuing or reviving a tax shall specifically state such tax, and no law shall be construed as so stating such tax, which requires a reference to any other law or any other tax. The presiding officer of each house shall, in the presence of the house over which he presides, sign every bill which has been passed by both houses and duly enrolled. Immediately before this is done, all other business being suspended, the title of the bill shall be publicly read. The fact of the signing shall be entered on the journal.

And insert in lieu thereof the following:

Sec. 50. No law shall be enacted except by bill. A bill may originate in either house to be approved or rejected by the other, or may be amended by either, with the concurrence of the other.

No bill shall become a law unless prior to its passage it has been:

(a) Referred to a committee of each house, considered by such committee in session, and reported;

(b) Printed by the house in which it originated prior to its passage therein;

(c) Read by title on three different calendar days in each house and read at length at least once in each house; and unless,

(d) A yea and nay vote has been taken in each house upon its final passage, the names of the members voting for and against entered on the journal, and a majority of those voting, which shall include at least two-fifths of the members elected to each house, recorded in the affirmative.

And only in the manner required in sub-division "d" of this section shall an amendment to a bill by one house be concurred in by the other, or a conference report be adopted by either house, or either house discharge a committee from the consideration of a bill and consider the same as if reported; provided, that the printing and reading, or either, required in sub-divisions "d" and "c" of this section, may be dispensed with in a bill to codify the laws of the State, and in any case of emergency, by vote of four-fifths of the members voting in each house, taken by the yeas and nays, the names of the members voting for and against entered on the journal; and provided further, that no bill which creates or establishes a new office, or which creates, continues, or revives a debt or charge, or makes, continues, or revives any appropriation of public or trust money or property, or releases, discharges, or commutes any claim or demand of the State, or which imposes, continues, or revives a tax, shall be passed, except by the affirmative vote of the majority of all the members elected to each house, the vote to be by the yeas and nays, and the names of the members voting for and against entered on the journal. Every law imposing, continuing, or reviving a tax shall specifically state such tax, and no law shall be construed as so stating such tax which requires a reference to any other law or any other tax. The presiding officer of each house shall, in the presence of the house over which he presides, sign every bill which has been passed by both houses and duly enrolled. Immediately before this is done, all other business being suspended, the title of the bill shall be publicly read. The fact of the signing shall be entered on the journal.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of amendments proposed to the Constitution and agreed to by the General Assembly of Virginia, session 1914, and the same is published in pursuance of section 196 of the Constitution and act of the General Assembly, approved February 3, 1908.

JOHN W. WILLIAMS,
Clerk House of Delegates of Virginia.

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